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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of:

Taneja et al.

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) Pharmaceutical Compositions of
) Non-Enteric Coated Proton Pump
) Inhibitor With A Carbonate Salt and
) Biocarbonate Salt Combination
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) Group Art Unit: 1615
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) Examiner: Humera N. Sheikh

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 30, 2003, Applicants respond as follows: